

May 25, 2004

Ms. Christine Kulick
U.S. Department of Labor
Employment and Training Administration
Office of Workforce Investment
Division of One-Stop Operations
Room S4231
200 Constitution Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20210

Dear Ms. Kulick:

On September 12, 2002, the State of Connecticut was granted a waiver (copy attached) to postpone the implementation of the subsequent eligibility process for training providers as described in the Workforce Investment Act, Section 122, until July 1, 2003. On July 14, 2003 that waiver was extended through June 30, 2004.

During the time since the requests were granted, we have continued to work diligently to implement the process. Unfortunately, the collection of all student data has and continues to be a next to impossible task to achieve. If we are not able to complete this project, the consequence will be that our provider training list will be severely diminished, leaving very little customer choice.

We are requesting that you provide us with an additional extension of our waiver until June 30, 2005.

Any questions on this request can be addressed to Stephen Litke at (860) 263-6599. Your careful and timely consideration of this request would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Shaun B. Cashman Commissioner

Attachments





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